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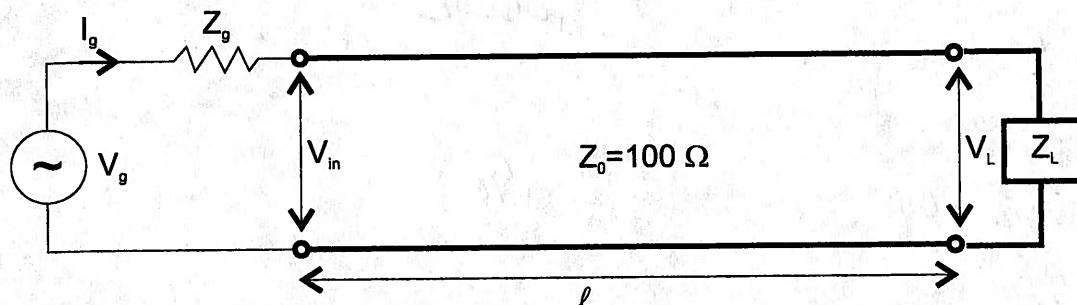
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	Topic	Max Points	Your points
Problem 1	Smith Chart	15	
Problem 2	Impedance Matching	30	
Problem 3	Plane wave	30	
Problem 4	Phasors	25	
Total		100	



## 1. Smith chart basics (15 points)

Consider the generic transmission line problem as shown below. Assume that the transmission line is a coaxial transmission line filled with a material that has  $\epsilon=4\epsilon_0$ ,  $\mu=\mu_0$ .



- (a) (5 points) For each of the following loads, mark their position on the Smith chart below (using the letter as a label), and write below the reflection coefficient (magnitude and phase angle).

$$A: Z_L = 150 \Omega. \quad \Gamma = 0.2$$

$$Z_L = 1.5$$

$$B: Z_L = 200+j80 \Omega. \quad \Gamma = 0.41 \angle 24^\circ$$

$$Z_L = 2+0.8j$$

- (b) (5 points) For each of the following loads impedances, convert to unnormalized load admittance  $Y_L$  and give the value in units  $\Omega^{-1}$ . Mark the position on the Smith chart below (using the letter as a label).

$$A: Z_L = 150 \Omega. \quad A' \quad Y_L = 0.0065 \Omega^{-1}$$

$$Z_L = 0.65$$

$$B: Z_L = 200+j80 \Omega. \quad B' \quad Y_L = 0.0043 - j0.0017 \Omega^{-1}$$

$$Z_L = 0.43 - 0.17j$$

- (c) (5 points) What is the non-normalized input impedance of the transmission line  $Z_{in}(-l)$  for each of the loads if  $l=1 \text{ m}$  and  $f=30 \text{ MHz}$ ? Label each point on the Smith Chart using A'', B''.

$$l=1.0 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{A: } Z_L = 150 \Omega \quad \text{A}'' \quad Z_{in} =$$

$$Z_L = 0.7 - j0.2$$

$$70-j20 \Omega$$

$$\text{B: } Z_L = 200+j80 \Omega \quad \text{B}'' \quad Z_{in} =$$

$$Z_L = 0.52 - j0.46$$

$$52-j46 \Omega$$

if

$$\epsilon = 4\epsilon_0, \mu = \mu_0$$

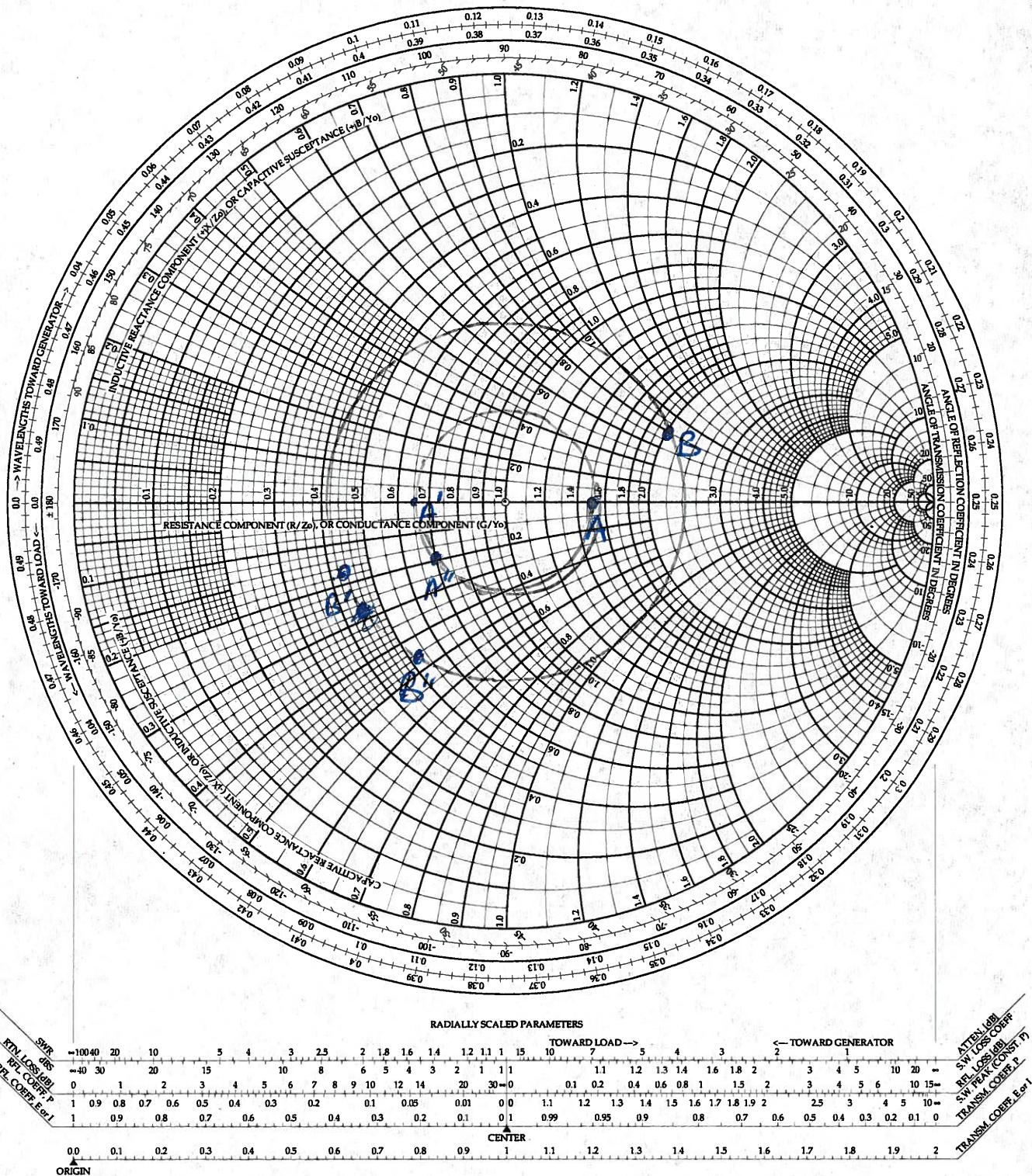
$$V = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon \mu}} = \frac{C}{L} = 1.5 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1.5 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{3 \times 10^7 \text{ s}^{-1}} = 0.5 \times 10 = 5 \text{ m}$$

$$l = \frac{1.0}{5} \lambda = 0.2 \lambda$$

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Smith chart for problem 1

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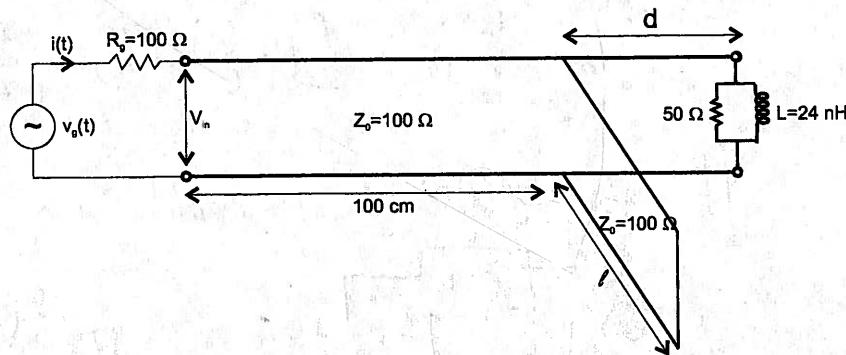




## 2. Transmission line – Impedance Matching (30 points)

This problem involves a transmission line which is lossless coaxial cable filled with a dielectric material  $\epsilon = 9\epsilon_0$ ,  $\mu = \mu_0$ . The frequency of operation is  $f = 200$  MHz.

For these problems, you may use any methods you wish, including the Smith chart (not required).



- (a) (10 points) At the frequency given above what is the load impedance in units  $\Omega$  (give a number)?

$$f = 200 \text{ MHz} = 2 \times 10^8 \text{ Hz} \quad \omega = 1.26 \times 10^9 \text{ s}^{-1} \quad Z_{\text{load}} = j\omega L = j30 \Omega$$

$$Y_L = \frac{1}{50} - j\frac{1}{30} = 0.02 - j0.033 \Omega^{-1} \quad Y_L =$$

$$Z_L = 13 + j22 \Omega$$

- (b) (10 points) Use a shorted stub to match the load to the feedline and prevent any reflections back down the feedline. What values of  $d$  and  $l$  should be chosen to achieve matching to the line? Give these length values in term of the wavelength  $\lambda$ .

Two answers

$$\textcircled{1} \quad d = 0.02\lambda, \quad l = 0.437\lambda$$

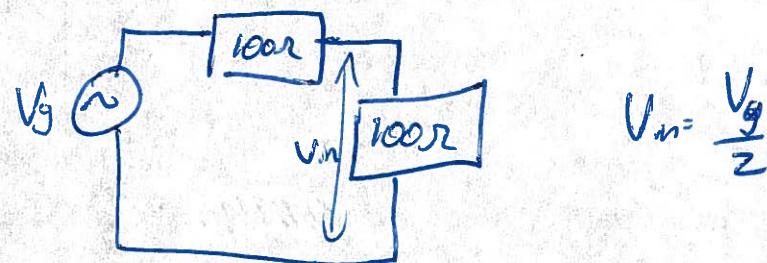
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$$d = 0.41\lambda \quad l = 0.064\lambda$$

- (c) (10 points) If the generator voltage is given by  $v_g(t)=v_0 \cos \omega t$ , where  $v_0=1$  V, what is the time averaged power dissipated in the load? Give a number in units W.

$$P_{avg} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \{ V_i I_{i*}^* \} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{|V_{in}|^2}{Z_{in}} \operatorname{Re} \{ Z_{in} \}$$

If  $Z_{in}=100\Omega$  in the matched case



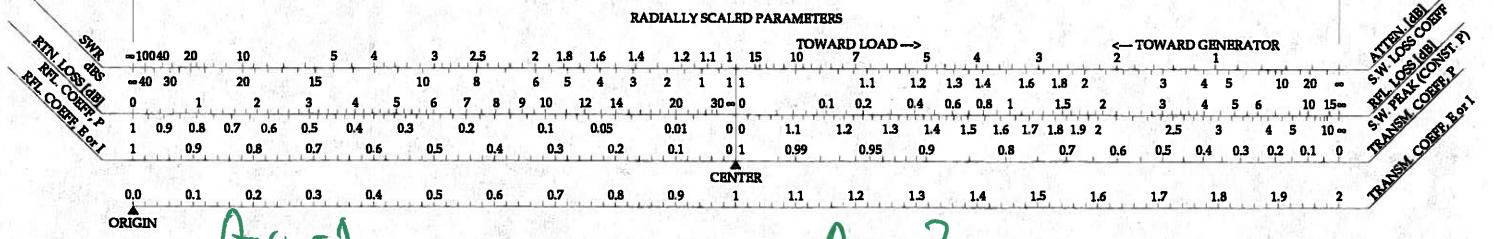
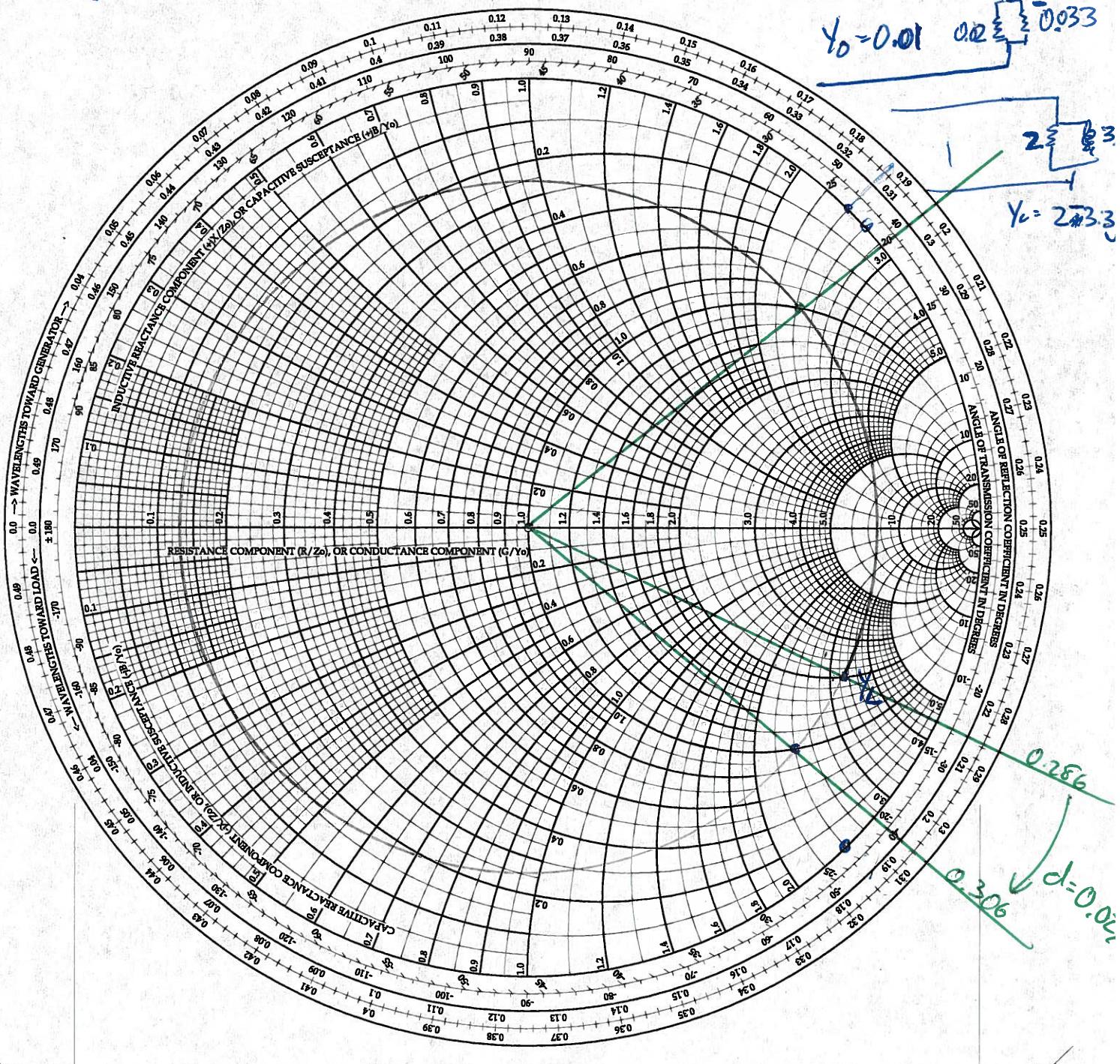
$$V_{in} = \frac{V_g}{2}$$

$$P_{avg} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{(1V)^2}{4} \frac{1}{100} = \frac{1}{800} W$$

$$= 0.00125 W$$

# The Complete Smith Chart

$$Y_{ind} = \frac{1}{jWL} =$$



Answer 1

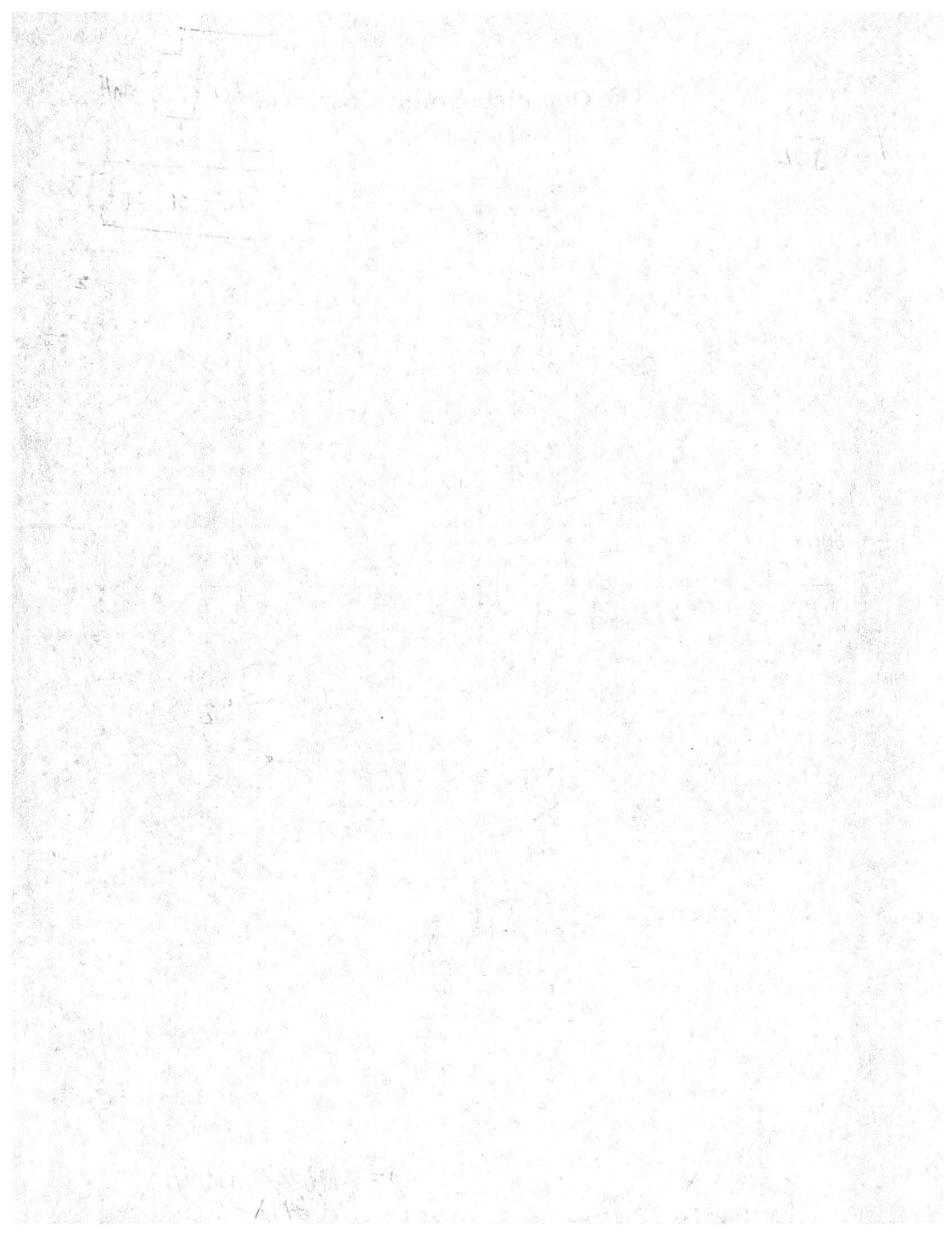
$$d = 0.02\lambda$$

$$\lambda = 0.42\text{ m}$$

Answer 2

$$d = 0.41\lambda$$

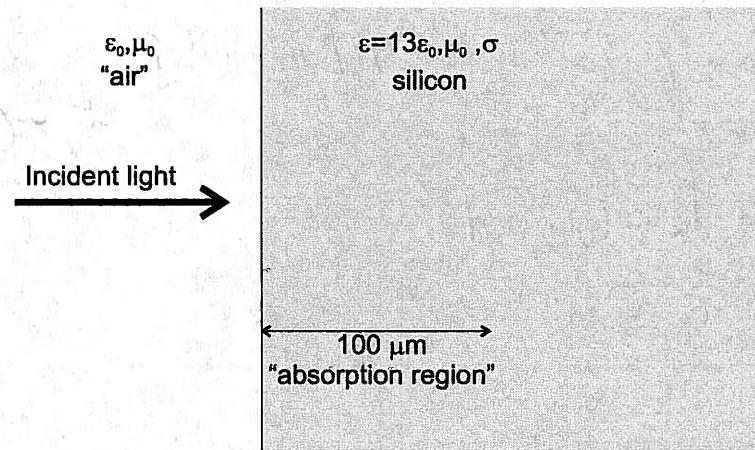
$$\lambda = 0.064\text{ m}$$



## 3. Plane waves and interfaces

(30 points)

Consider that we are building a solar cell out of silicon ( $\epsilon = 13\epsilon_0$ ), where the absorbing layer is 100  $\mu\text{m}$  thick. Let's approximate this by a model where a plane wave with a free-space wavelength of  $\lambda = 1 \mu\text{m}$  is normally incident on the surface of the silicon (which we take to be semi-infinite, with permittivity  $\epsilon = \epsilon_0$ ,  $\mu = \mu_0$ ). Our goal is to have the maximum fraction of incident light be transmitted, and then be absorbed within the first 100  $\mu\text{m}$  (whereupon it is presumably converted into electrical power). Assume that due to the design of the solar cell junction, any light that passes beyond 100  $\mu\text{m}$  from the surface is not collected and thus is wasted.



We have the choice of 3 possible values of conductivity  $\sigma$  for the silicon.

Case A:  $\sigma = 10^7 \text{ S/m}$ , Case B:  $\sigma = 10^3 \text{ S/m}$ , Case C:  $\sigma = 10^{-1} \text{ S/m}$

- (a) (6 points) For each case, state whether the silicon can be considered a good conductor, or a poor conductor (aka lossy dielectric).

$$\begin{aligned}\epsilon' &= 13\epsilon_0 & \epsilon'' &= \frac{\sigma}{\omega} & \lambda &= 1 \mu\text{m}, f = 300 \text{ THz}, \omega = 1.9 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1} \\ \epsilon' &= 1.2 \times 10^{-10} \text{ F/m}\end{aligned}$$

Case A:

$$\epsilon'' \approx 5 \times 10^{-9} \quad \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'} \approx 45 \gg 1 \quad \text{so it is a } \underline{\text{"good conductor".}}$$

Case B:

$$\epsilon'' \approx 5 \times 10^{-3} \quad \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'} \approx 0.004 \ll 1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \underline{\text{lossy dielectric.}}$$

Case C:

$$\epsilon'' \approx 5 \times 10^{-17} \quad \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'} \ll 1 \quad \underline{\text{lossy dielectric}}$$

(b) (9 points) For each case, calculate the reflection coefficient  $\Gamma$ , and the power reflectivity  $R$ .

Good conductor case:

$$\gamma_c = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_c}} \approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0 \omega}{j\kappa_0}} = \frac{(1+j)}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0 \omega}{\sigma}} : \text{ case A: } (1+j) \parallel \Omega$$

Dielectric case

$$\gamma \approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon'}} = \frac{377}{\sqrt{13}} = 105 \Omega$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Case A: } \Gamma &= \frac{\gamma_2 - \gamma_1}{\gamma_2 + \gamma_1} = -0.94 + 0.05j = 0.94 \angle 177^\circ \\ R &\approx -0.94 \end{aligned}$$

$$R = 0.89$$

$$\text{Case B: } \Gamma = -0.56$$

$$\begin{matrix} \text{lossy} \\ \text{dielectric} \end{matrix} \quad R = 0.32$$

$$\text{Case C: } \Gamma = -0.56$$

$$R = 0.32$$

- (c) (10 points) Which case for the conductivity should we choose to maximize the fraction of incident power that is absorbed by the silicon within the first 100  $\mu\text{m}$ ? Why (explanation required for credit) ?

### Case B

Case A is too reflective, due to the fact that the silicon is a good conductor. 89% of the incident light will be reflected, which is not efficient.

### Case B

will have 68% of the light transmitted through the interface. We can calculate the attenuation length  $\frac{1}{\alpha}$ :

$$\text{Since } \epsilon' > \epsilon''.$$

$$\epsilon'' = \sigma_w$$

$$\alpha = \frac{w\sqrt{\mu_0\epsilon'}}{2} \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon' w} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon'}} \frac{\sigma}{2} = 5.25 \times 10^4 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\frac{1}{\alpha} = 1.9 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m} = 19 \mu\text{m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} j = \alpha + j\beta &= \sqrt{-w^2 \epsilon \mu_0} = \sqrt{-w^2 \mu_0 (\epsilon' - j\epsilon'')} \\ &= jw \sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon'} (1 - j \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'}) \\ &\approx jw \sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon'} (1 - \frac{j}{2} \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'}) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{w\sqrt{\mu_0\epsilon'}}{2} \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'} + jw\sqrt{\mu_0}$$

Since the absorbing layer is 100  $\mu\text{m}$  thick, we can confidently say that >99% of the power will be absorbed within that layer.

### Case C

$$\alpha = 5.25 \text{ m}^{-1} \quad \frac{1}{\alpha} = 0.19 \text{ m.} \gg 100 \mu\text{m}$$

Only a small fraction of the power will be absorbed within the absorbing layer.

So Case B is the best choice

- (d) (5 points) The performance of this solar cell can be easily improved if we add an anti-reflective thin layer to the surface of the silicon. How thick should this layer be (in meters), and what value of permittivity (or refractive index) should it have?

Use a quarter wave layer.

Choose  $n = \sqrt{5/3} = 1.9$

With that material  $\lambda = \frac{\lambda_0}{n} = \frac{1\text{ um}}{1.9} = 0.526\text{ um}$

So we choose thickness =  $\frac{\lambda}{4} = 0.132\text{ um} = 132\text{ nm}$

**4. Phasors (25 points)**

- (a) (5 points) Write the following phasor quantity explicitly in the time domain (i.e. do not include the expression “ $\text{Re}\{\}$ ” in your answer). Assume  $E_0$  is a real number.

$$\tilde{E}(z) = \hat{x}E_0 e^{-jkz} \quad E(z,t) = \hat{x} E_0 \cos(\omega t - kz)$$

- (b) (5 points) For the following time dependent signal, find the corresponding phasor expression. ( $H_0$  is real)

$$\tilde{H}(z,t) = \hat{y}H_0 \sin(\alpha t - kz) \quad \tilde{H}(z) = -\hat{y}jH_0 e^{-jkz} \cos(\omega t - kz - \frac{\pi}{2})$$

- (c) (5 points) Consider a circularly polarized wave in vacuum with E-field given by

$$E(z,t) = (\hat{x} + j\hat{y}) E_0 \cos(\alpha t - kz)$$

If  $E_0=1$  V/m,  $f=1$  GHz, and the wave is in vacuum, what is the time averaged power flow per unit area for this wave? (Give a number in units W/m<sup>2</sup>)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \text{Re} \{ \tilde{E} \times \tilde{H}^* \} &= \frac{1}{2} \text{Re} \{ (\hat{x} + j\hat{y}) E_0 e^{-jkz} \times [(\hat{y} - j\hat{x}) \cdot \frac{1}{2} E_0 e^{-jkz}]^* \} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} |E_0|^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \text{Re} \{ \hat{z} + \hat{z} \} \\ &= \hat{z} \cdot \frac{1}{2} |E_0|^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \hat{z} \cdot \frac{1}{355} = 2.7 \text{ mW/m}^2 \end{aligned}$$

- (d) (5 points) Consider a linearly polarized plane wave in good conductor where  $\epsilon \approx -j\sigma/\omega$ . The electric field is given by the expression  $\mathbf{E}(z, t) = \hat{x}E_0 \cos(\omega t - \beta z)e^{-z/\delta_s}$ . Write the expression for the time dependent magnetic field  $\mathbf{H}(z, t)$  in terms of  $E_0, \omega, \beta, \delta_s, \sigma$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{H} &= \hat{y} \cdot \frac{1}{\eta_c} E_0 \cos(\omega t - \beta z) e^{-z/\delta_s}. \quad \eta_c = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0 \sigma}} = \frac{1+j}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0 \sigma}{\omega}} = (1+j) \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\omega} \\ &= \hat{y} \cdot \frac{1-j}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{\omega \mu_0}} E_0 \cos(\omega t - \beta z) e^{-z/\delta_s}. \quad \frac{1}{\eta_c} = \sqrt{\frac{-j\omega}{\mu_0}} = \frac{1-j}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{\omega \mu_0}} \\ &= \hat{y} \cdot \frac{1-j}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{2}} \delta_s E_0 \cos(\omega t - \beta z) e^{-z/\delta_s}.\end{aligned}$$

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$$\tau = j\omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon} = j\omega \frac{1-j}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\mu \frac{\sigma}{\omega}} = (1+j) \sqrt{\frac{\mu \mu_0 \sigma}{2}}.$$

- (e) (5 points) If  $E_0=1$  V/m,  $f=1$  GHz,  $\sigma=1$  S/m,  $\mu=\mu_0$ , what is the time averaged power flow per unit area for this wave? (Give a number, in units W/m<sup>2</sup>).

At  $z=0$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \times \tilde{\mathbf{H}}^* \right\} \Big|_{z=0} &= \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \hat{x} E_0 e^{j\beta z} e^{-z/\delta_s} \times \left( \hat{y} \cdot \frac{1-j}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{\omega \mu_0}} E_0 e^{-j\beta z} e^{-z/\delta_s} \right)^* \right\} \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{2} \hat{z} \cdot |E_0|^2 e^{-2z/\delta_s} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{\omega \mu_0}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \Big|_{z=0} \\ &= \hat{z} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi \times 10^9 \times 4\pi \times 10^{-7}}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \hat{z} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi \times 10} \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \hat{z} \cdot \frac{1}{80\pi} \approx 3.98 \frac{mW}{m^2}.\end{aligned}$$

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$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho_f$ $\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$ <b>Maxwell's Equations:</b> $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$ $\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J}_f + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$ <b>In linear media:</b> $\mathbf{P} = \epsilon_0 \chi_e \mathbf{E}$ $\mathbf{M} = \chi_m \mathbf{H}$	$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P}$ <b>Auxillary Fields:</b> $\mathbf{H} = \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_0} - \mathbf{M}$ $\mathbf{D} = \epsilon \mathbf{E}$ $\mathbf{B} = \mu \mathbf{H}$
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$\text{Ohm's Law: } \mathbf{J} = \sigma \mathbf{E}$	

<b>Electrostatic Potential:</b> $\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V$ <b>Electrodynamic Potential:</b> $\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t}$ <b>Gradient Theorem:</b> $\int_a^b (\nabla f) \cdot d\mathbf{l} = f(b) - f(a)$ <b>Divergence Theorem:</b> $\int_V (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) dV = \oint_S \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$ <b>Stokes's Theorem:</b> $\int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \oint_C \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$ <b>Electric energy density:</b> $W_e = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{D}$ or $W_e = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon E^2$ (in linear media) <b>Magnetic energy density:</b> $W_m = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{H}$ or $W_m = \frac{1}{2} \mu H^2$ (in linear media)	<b>Vector potential:</b> $\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$ <b>Poynting Theorem:</b> $\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}) = -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{1}{2} \epsilon E^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu H^2 \right) - \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J}$ <b>Poynting Vector:</b> $\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}$ <b>Time averaged Poynting vector:</b> $\mathbf{S}_{av} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \{ \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \times \tilde{\mathbf{H}}^* \}$
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<b>Capacitance:</b> $C = \frac{Q}{V}$	<b>Inductance:</b> $L = \frac{\Lambda}{I} = N \frac{\Phi}{I}$
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Vector identities

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A} &= \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A} \\ \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) &= 0 \\ \nabla \times (\nabla f) &= 0 \\ \nabla \cdot \nabla f &= \nabla^2 f \\ \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) &= \mathbf{B} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) - \mathbf{A} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) \\ \mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) &= \mathbf{B} \cdot (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C} \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \\ \mathbf{A} \times (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) &= \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C}) - \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) \end{aligned}$$

EM waves - Wave equation in source free medium, in time-domain and in harmonic (phasor) form

$$\nabla^2 \mathbf{E} = \mu\epsilon \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}}{\partial t^2} \quad \nabla^2 \mathbf{H} = \mu\epsilon \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{H}}{\partial t^2} \quad \nabla^2 \tilde{\mathbf{E}} - \gamma^2 \tilde{\mathbf{E}} = 0 \quad \nabla^2 \tilde{\mathbf{H}} - \gamma^2 \tilde{\mathbf{H}} = 0$$

$$\gamma^2 = -\omega^2 \mu\epsilon \quad \gamma = \alpha + j\beta \quad k = \omega \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{n\omega}{c} \quad \eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}}$$

z-propagating Plane wave (linearly polarized in x-direction) – phasor format – nonconducting media

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}}(z) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} E_{x0}^+ e^{-jkz} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{H}}(z) = \hat{\mathbf{y}} \frac{E_{x0}^+}{\eta} e^{-jkz}$$

Generalized plane wave in arbitrary direction with wavevector  $\mathbf{k}$  with arbitrary linear polarization  $\mathbf{e}$ .

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}}(\mathbf{R}) = \hat{\mathbf{e}} E_0^+ e^{-j\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{R}} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{E}} = -\eta \mathbf{k} \times \tilde{\mathbf{H}} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{H}} = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{k} \times \tilde{\mathbf{E}}$$

Conducting media

$$\epsilon_c = \epsilon - j \frac{\sigma}{\omega} \quad \gamma = \alpha + j\beta \quad \eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_c}} \quad \delta_s = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi f \mu \sigma}} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{E}}(z) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} E_{x0}^+ e^{-rz} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{H}}(z) = \hat{\mathbf{y}} \frac{E_{x0}^+}{\eta} e^{-rz}$$

$$\alpha = \omega \left\{ \frac{\mu\epsilon'}{2} \left[ \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'} \right)^2} - 1 \right] \right\}^{1/2} \quad \beta = \omega \left\{ \frac{\mu\epsilon'}{2} \left[ \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon'} \right)^2} + 1 \right] \right\}^{1/2}$$

Transmission lines

$$-\frac{d\tilde{V}(z)}{dz} = (R' + j\omega L') \tilde{I}(z) \quad \frac{d^2\tilde{V}(z)}{dz^2} - \gamma^2 \tilde{V}(z) = 0 \quad \gamma = \alpha + j\beta = \sqrt{(R' + j\omega L')(G' + j\omega C')}$$

$$-\frac{d\tilde{I}(z)}{dz} = (G' + j\omega C') \tilde{V}(z) \quad \frac{d^2\tilde{I}(z)}{dz^2} - \gamma^2 \tilde{I}(z) = 0 \quad Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{(R' + j\omega L')}{(G' + j\omega C')}}$$

Lossless transmission lines:

$$\gamma = j\beta = j\omega \sqrt{L'C'} \quad Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{L'}{C'}} \quad u_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{L'C'}} \quad \beta = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{\omega}{u_p}$$

TEM lossless transmission lines:

$$\gamma = j\beta = j\omega \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \quad Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{L'}{C'}} \quad u_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}}$$

Transmission line wave solutions (lossless lines)

$$\tilde{V}(z) = V_0^+ e^{-j\beta z} + V_0^- e^{j\beta z} \quad \tilde{I}(z) = \frac{V_0^+}{Z_0} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V_0^-}{Z_0} e^{j\beta z}$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{V_0^-}{V_0^+} = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0} \quad VSWR = \frac{|V_{\max}|}{|V_{\min}|} = \frac{1 + |\Gamma|}{1 - |\Gamma|}$$

$$Z_{in}(z) = \frac{\tilde{V}(z)}{\tilde{I}(z)} = Z_0 \frac{1 + \Gamma e^{j2\beta z}}{1 - \Gamma e^{j2\beta z}} \quad Z_{in}(z = -l) = Z_0 \frac{1 + \Gamma e^{-j2\beta l}}{1 - \Gamma e^{-j2\beta l}} = Z_0 \frac{Z_L + jZ_0 \tan(\beta l)}{Z_0 + jZ_L \tan(\beta l)}$$

Impedance:  $Z = R + jX = \frac{1}{Y} = \frac{1}{G + jB}$       Admittance:  $Y = G + jB$

Constants (SI units):  $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m}$  (or  $C^2 \text{ N}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$ )       $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$  (or  $\text{N A}^{-2}$ )

Table 3-1: Summary of vector relations.

	Cartesian Coordinates	Cylindrical Coordinates	Spherical Coordinates
<b>Coordinate variables</b>	$x, y, z$	$r, \phi, z$	$R, \theta, \phi$
<b>Vector representation, <math>\mathbf{A} =</math></b>	$\hat{x}A_x + \hat{y}A_y + \hat{z}A_z$	$\hat{r}A_r + \hat{\phi}A_\theta + \hat{z}A_z$	$\hat{R}A_R + \hat{\theta}A_\theta + \hat{\phi}A_\phi$
<b>Magnitude of <math>\mathbf{A}</math>, <math> A  =</math></b>	$\sqrt{A_x^2 + A_y^2 + A_z^2}$	$\sqrt{A_r^2 + A_\theta^2 + A_z^2}$	$\sqrt{A_R^2 + A_\theta^2 + A_\phi^2}$
<b>Position vector <math>\overrightarrow{OP_1} =</math></b>	$\hat{x}x_1 + \hat{y}y_1 + \hat{z}z_1,$ for $P(x_1, y_1, z_1)$	$\hat{r}r_1 + \hat{z}z_1,$ for $P(r_1, \phi_1, z_1)$	$\hat{R}R_1,$ for $P(R_1, \theta_1, \phi_1)$
<b>Base vectors properties</b>	$\hat{x} \cdot \hat{x} = \hat{y} \cdot \hat{y} = \hat{z} \cdot \hat{z} = 1$ $\hat{x} \cdot \hat{y} = \hat{y} \cdot \hat{z} = \hat{z} \cdot \hat{x} = 0$ $\hat{x} \times \hat{y} = \hat{z}$ $\hat{y} \times \hat{z} = \hat{x}$ $\hat{z} \times \hat{x} = \hat{y}$	$\hat{r} \cdot \hat{r} = \hat{\phi} \cdot \hat{\phi} = \hat{z} \cdot \hat{z} = 1$ $\hat{r} \cdot \hat{\phi} = \hat{\phi} \cdot \hat{z} = \hat{z} \cdot \hat{r} = 0$ $\hat{r} \times \hat{\phi} = \hat{z}$ $\hat{\phi} \times \hat{z} = \hat{r}$ $\hat{z} \times \hat{r} = \hat{\phi}$	$\hat{R} \cdot \hat{R} = \hat{\theta} \cdot \hat{\theta} = \hat{\phi} \cdot \hat{\phi} = 1$ $\hat{R} \cdot \hat{\theta} = \hat{\theta} \cdot \hat{\phi} = \hat{\phi} \cdot \hat{R} = 0$ $\hat{R} \times \hat{\theta} = \hat{\phi}$ $\hat{\theta} \times \hat{\phi} = \hat{R}$ $\hat{\phi} \times \hat{R} = \hat{\theta}$
<b>Dot product, <math>\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} =</math></b>	$A_x B_x + A_y B_y + A_z B_z$	$A_r B_r + A_\theta B_\theta + A_z B_z$	$A_R B_R + A_\theta B_\theta + A_\phi B_\phi$
<b>Cross product, <math>\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} =</math></b>	$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \\ B_x & B_y & B_z \end{vmatrix}$	$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{r} & \hat{\phi} & \hat{z} \\ A_r & A_\theta & A_z \\ B_r & B_\theta & B_z \end{vmatrix}$	$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{R} & \hat{\theta} & \hat{\phi} \\ A_R & A_\theta & A_\phi \\ B_R & B_\theta & B_\phi \end{vmatrix}$
<b>Differential length, <math>d\ell =</math></b>	$\hat{x}dx + \hat{y}dy + \hat{z}dz$	$\hat{r}dr + \hat{\phi}r d\phi + \hat{z}dz$	$\hat{R}dR + \hat{\theta}R d\theta + \hat{\phi}R \sin\theta d\phi$
<b>Differential surface areas</b>	$ds_x = \hat{x}dy dz$ $ds_y = \hat{y}dx dz$ $ds_z = \hat{z}dx dy$	$ds_r = \hat{r}rd\phi dz$ $ds_\theta = \hat{\phi}dr dz$ $ds_\phi = \hat{z}rdr d\phi$	$ds_R = \hat{R}R^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi$ $ds_\theta = \hat{\theta}R \sin\theta dR d\phi$ $ds_\phi = \hat{\phi}R dR d\theta$
<b>Differential volume, <math>dV =</math></b>	$dx dy dz$	$r dr d\phi dz$	$R^2 \sin\theta dR d\theta d\phi$

Table 3-2: Coordinate transformation relations.

Transformation	Coordinate Variables	Unit Vectors	Vector Components
Cartesian to cylindrical	$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ $\phi = \tan^{-1}(y/x)$ $z = z$	$\hat{r} = \hat{x}\cos\phi + \hat{y}\sin\phi$ $\hat{\phi} = -\hat{x}\sin\phi + \hat{y}\cos\phi$ $\hat{z} = \hat{z}$	$A_x = A_x \cos\phi + A_y \sin\phi$ $A_\phi = -A_x \sin\phi + A_y \cos\phi$ $A_z = A_z$
Cylindrical to Cartesian	$x = r\cos\phi$ $y = r\sin\phi$ $z = z$	$\hat{x} = \hat{r}\cos\phi - \hat{\phi}\sin\phi$ $\hat{y} = \hat{r}\sin\phi + \hat{\phi}\cos\phi$ $\hat{z} = \hat{z}$	$A_x = A_r \cos\phi - A_\phi \sin\phi$ $A_y = A_r \sin\phi + A_\phi \cos\phi$ $A_z = A_z$
Cartesian to spherical	$R = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ $\theta = \tan^{-1}[\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}/z]$ $\phi = \tan^{-1}(y/x)$	$\hat{R} = \hat{x}\sin\theta\cos\phi$ $+ \hat{y}\sin\theta\sin\phi + \hat{z}\cos\theta$ $\hat{\theta} = \hat{x}\cos\theta\cos\phi$ $+ \hat{y}\cos\theta\sin\phi - \hat{z}\sin\theta$ $\hat{\phi} = -\hat{x}\sin\phi + \hat{y}\cos\phi$	$A_R = A_x \sin\theta\cos\phi$ $+ A_y \sin\theta\sin\phi + A_z \cos\theta$ $A_\theta = A_x \cos\theta\cos\phi$ $+ A_y \cos\theta\sin\phi - A_z \sin\theta$ $A_\phi = -A_x \sin\phi + A_y \cos\phi$
Spherical to Cartesian	$x = R\sin\theta\cos\phi$ $y = R\sin\theta\sin\phi$ $z = R\cos\theta$	$\hat{x} = \hat{R}\sin\theta\cos\phi$ $+ \hat{\theta}\cos\theta\cos\phi - \hat{\phi}\sin\phi$ $\hat{y} = \hat{R}\sin\theta\sin\phi$ $+ \hat{\theta}\cos\theta\sin\phi + \hat{\phi}\cos\phi$ $\hat{z} = \hat{R}\cos\theta - \hat{\theta}\sin\theta$	$A_x = A_R \sin\theta\cos\phi$ $+ A_\theta \cos\theta\cos\phi - A_\phi \sin\phi$ $A_y = A_R \sin\theta\sin\phi$ $+ A_\theta \cos\theta\sin\phi + A_\phi \cos\phi$ $A_z = A_R \cos\theta - A_\theta \sin\theta$
Cylindrical to spherical	$R = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}$ $\theta = \tan^{-1}(r/z)$ $\phi = \phi$	$\hat{R} = \hat{r}\sin\theta + \hat{z}\cos\theta$ $\hat{\theta} = \hat{r}\cos\theta - \hat{z}\sin\theta$ $\hat{\phi} = \hat{\phi}$	$A_R = A_r \sin\theta + A_z \cos\theta$ $A_\theta = A_r \cos\theta - A_z \sin\theta$ $A_\phi = A_\phi$
Spherical to cylindrical	$r = R\sin\theta$ $\phi = \phi$ $z = R\cos\theta$	$\hat{r} = \hat{R}\sin\theta + \hat{\theta}\cos\theta$ $\hat{\phi} = \hat{\phi}$ $\hat{z} = \hat{R}\cos\theta - \hat{\theta}\sin\theta$	$A_r = A_R \sin\theta + A_\theta \cos\theta$ $A_\phi = A_\phi$ $A_z = A_R \cos\theta - A_\theta \sin\theta$

**GRADIENT, DIVERGENCE, CURL & LAPLACIAN OPERATORS**  
**CARTESIAN (RECTANGULAR) COORDINATES ( $x, y, z$ )**

$$\nabla V = \hat{x} \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} + \hat{y} \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} + \hat{z} \frac{\partial V}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \end{vmatrix} = \hat{x} \left( \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{y} \left( \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} \right) + \hat{z} \left( \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$\nabla^2 V = \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial z^2}$$

**CYLINDRICAL COORDINATES ( $r, \phi, z$ )**

$$\nabla V = \hat{r} \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} + \hat{\phi} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} + \hat{z} \frac{\partial V}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_r) + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{r} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{r} & \hat{\phi} r & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ A_r & r A_\phi & A_z \end{vmatrix} = \hat{r} \left( \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{\phi} \left( \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial r} \right) + \hat{z} \frac{1}{r} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\phi) - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \phi} \right]$$

$$\nabla^2 V = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial z^2}$$

**SPHERICAL COORDINATES ( $R, \theta, \phi$ )**

$$\nabla V = \hat{R} \frac{\partial V}{\partial R} + \hat{\theta} \frac{1}{R} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta} + \hat{\phi} \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{R^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial R} (R^2 A_R) + \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (A_\theta \sin \theta) + \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \mathbf{A} &= \frac{1}{R^2 \sin \theta} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{R} & \hat{\theta} R & \hat{\phi} R \sin \theta \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial R} & \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ A_R & R A_\theta & (R \sin \theta) A_\phi \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \hat{R} \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (A_\phi \sin \theta) - \frac{\partial A_\theta}{\partial \phi} \right] + \hat{\theta} \frac{1}{R} \left[ \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_R}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial}{\partial R} (R A_\phi) \right] + \hat{\phi} \frac{1}{R} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial R} (R A_\theta) - \frac{\partial A_R}{\partial \theta} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla^2 V = \frac{1}{R^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial R} \left( R^2 \frac{\partial V}{\partial R} \right) + \frac{1}{R^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left( \sin \theta \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{R^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2}$$

## SOME USEFUL VECTOR IDENTITIES

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = AB \cos \theta_{AB}$$

Scalar (or dot) product

$$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} = \hat{\mathbf{n}} AB \sin \theta_{AB}$$

Vector (or cross) product,  $\hat{\mathbf{n}}$  normal to plane containing  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{B}$

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{B} \cdot (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C} \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\mathbf{A} \times (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C}) - \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B})$$

$$\nabla(U + V) = \nabla U + \nabla V$$

$$\nabla(UV) = U\nabla V + V\nabla U$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (U\mathbf{A}) = U\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla U$$

$$\nabla \times (U\mathbf{A}) = U\nabla \times \mathbf{A} + \nabla U \times \mathbf{A}$$

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} + \nabla \times \mathbf{B}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{B} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) - \mathbf{A} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla V = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \nabla V = \nabla^2 V$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A}$$

$$\int_V (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) dV = \oint_S \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{s}$$

Divergence theorem ( $S$  encloses  $V$ )

$$\int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \oint_C \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$$

Stokes's theorem ( $S$  bounded by  $C$ )

